

Amendments To The Specification:

In the English translation document, please add the paragraph at page 1 line 2, after the title, as follows:

--CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application is the US National Stage of International Application No. PCT/EP2004/000439, filed January 21, 2004 and claims the benefit thereof. The International Application claims the benefits of German application No. 10314167.7 filed March 28, 2003, both applications are incorporated by reference herein in their entirety.--

In the English translation document, please add the section heading at page 1 line 2, after the newly added CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS section, as follows:

--FIELD OF THE INVENTION--

In the English translation document, please delete the line at page 1 line 3.

In the English translation document, please delete the line at page 1 line 5.

In the English translation document, please delete the line at page 1 line 15.

In the English translation document, please add the section heading at page 1 line 16, as follows:

--BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION--

In the English translation document, please amend the section heading at page 2 line 21, as follows:

~~Representation~~ SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION

In the English translation document, please amend the paragraph at page 2 lines 27-29, as follows:

This object is achieved by the claims ~~according to the invention by the features of Claim 1. The subclaims refer to advantageous embodiments of the invention.~~

In the English translation document, please amend the section heading at page 5 line 4, as follows:

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS

In the English translation document, please amend the section heading at page 5 line 27, as follows:

~~Implementation~~ **DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION**